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Hi Karina,

Happy New Year to you as well!

Thanks for the update on the JMPR 2021 periodic review submissions. We were aware that ethoxyquin was being supported, but did not know that there was an issue with the submission. We were also aware of the status of chlorpyrifos, per the CCPR Schedule/Priority List, and have received similar information from Corteva.

We also appreciate the update on the compounds that may undergo the 4-year rule. We plan to do some additional follow-up to better understand their regulatory status and will follow-up with you when we receive additional guidance.

Regards,

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Dear David and Aaron,

Happy New Year to you both.

I wanted to advise you of some issues that have come up from the 2021 Priorities schedules, particularly related to periodic reviews for the Sept 2021 JMPR meeting.

JMPR has advised me that packages for a couple of compounds for periodic review from the Sept 2021 schedule were incomplete – ethoxyquin and guazatine; no package was submitted for chlorpyrifos. I'm not sure if you have been advised of this previously.

A number of compounds are likely to undergo the 4 year rule commencing at the next CCPR meeting. I suspect that these will include chlorpyrifos, aldicarb (deferral has been requested for a couple of years now), pirimicarb (first request for deferral likely at CCPR52). JMPR has requested that chlorpyrifos-methyl be reviewed at the same time as chlorpyrifos and will raise this at the next meeting.

Some other compounds have been unsupported for some time (fenbutatin oxide, bromide ion, carbaryl, 2-phenylphenol, dinocap, methamidophos, bitertanol, terbufos, bromopropylate, amitraz, fenarimol, dichloran). For these compounds, the 4 year rule should probably have already commenced earlier, but this information was not previously tracked in the spreadsheets. In the future, I plan to mark on the spreadsheets when the 4 year rule commences and is due to end.

Regarding new compounds, JMPR seems to be on track to evaluate all the compounds that were nominated on the 2021 list. For new use evaluations, only a few (6 I think) of those scheduled for the September 2021 meeting have been distributed to experts. The other compounds (17) will need to be deferred to 2022.

And finally, I have received some suggestions that the Procedural Manual should be updated (at least with more clarifying information) because our current approach for scheduling and prioritisation listed in the manual is slightly different to what has been practiced in recent years. The Unsupported Compounds eWG made similar suggestions to include additional practices within CCPR. I'd appreciate your views and past experiences on this suggestion.

You may have already caught up on this information from JMPR, but I thought I should reach out to advise of those compounds that appear to me to be the most vulnerable.

Please let me know if you wish to discuss any of the above, or if your understanding of the situation is different to what I have noted.

Last that I heard from Gracia, a virtual CCPR meeting is planned for 26-31 July 2021 (although the website now indicates location China TBA). Perhaps when we are closer to the date and we have a revised agenda, it might be worth catching up on any concerns that you have with the Priorities and related agenda items.

Kind regards

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